

KIGALI, RWANDA

Kigali is a city of nearly one million people living in one of the most secure cities in Africa and perhaps the most secure country on the continent.

Under the government's 2020 Vision Kigali is poised to become a leading city in the region for technology and communication and a regional center for trade.

Kigali is in the middle of a fertile region referred to as "the land of 1000 hills." The beauty is contrasted by poverty, AIDS, and lack of educational opportunities. Fortunately, Rwanda is moving forward in efforts to resolve these kinds of problems.

While Rwanda is most known for the 1994 genocide of nearly one-million people, it is now recognized for its resilience, forgiveness, and forward thinking by those who call Rwanda home.



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"International schools are a key investment attraction in Rwanda. Most of our expatriates ...want to know whether they can move into Kigali with their families and have their children go to schools with familiar systems. We are glad you are helping to take care of this."

-Clare Akamanzi, COO Rwanda Development Board

"KICS is becoming an element not to be ignored... and we will hold on to our values as Christian servants of the Lord."

-Dr. Laurent Mbanda, Bishop – Anglican church.
Formerly with Compassion International and KICS board member.

"While we are proud of the work of our national teachers we recognize that a school like KICS is necessary for Rwanda's future."

-Dr. Jeanne d'Arc Mujawamariya, Former Minister of Education, Current Minister of Gender and Family

"The availability of an international school offering international program has permitted many foreign investors as well as international civil servant and experts with school aged children to accept a posting in Rwanda..." – Dr. Charles Murigande, Minister of Education, Rwanda

Kigali International Community School



INTRODUCTION TO KICS

Kigali International Community School (KICS) offers a North American education, supporting classes Kindergarten through Grade 12. Founded in 2006, KICS seeks accreditation through Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools (MSA) and the Association of Christian Schools International (ASCI), with whom it is a member.

KICS was established to meet the educational needs of missionaries and Christian cross-cultural workers. Creating an interactive learning environment focusing on math, science, writing, and literature is one of KICS' goals. Biblical instruction is incorporated into the curriculum. KICS maintains a Christian environment, and teachers instruct from a Biblical worldview. The school is open to students from a variety of faiths with the understanding that moral values and ethics will be modeled and taught from a Christian perspective.

KICS is located in the Caisse Sociale, Vision 2020 Estate, in the Gaculiro. The KICS facility and nearby church are part of the master planned community which is the first of its kind in Kigali. KICS has experienced significant growth and now maintains nearly 200 students from 34 nationalities.



KICS FAST FACTS

- KICS exists to meet the needs of missionaries & Christian cross-cultural workers in Rwanda
- KICS is also available to the families of the international community and Rwandan nationals, as space permits
- KICS is located in Gaculiro, a suburb of Kigali, Rwanda
- KICS offers a full academic program, from KG through grade 12
- KICS currently serves 185 students from 34 different countries
- KICS is governed by a parent board from the missionary community
- KICS is a member of ASCI



<http://www.kicsrw.org>

TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES

KICS teachers are a special group of servants dedicated to making a difference in the lives of children from around the world. KICS needs teachers who:

- can commit 1-3 years
- have a BA (Educational focus preferred)
- are committed believers in Jesus Christ
- are able to teach a Christian world view with sensitivity
- are able to work with a multicultural team
- can work in a non-denominational setting
- are willing to raise a small amount of financial support to cover living locally (generally \$200-400/mo)
- will view yourself as part of the missionary community

We invite you to join us in this exciting journey. Please contact us for further information.

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"Unless the LORD builds the house, its builders labor in vain." Psalm 127:1